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Upon instructions from my Government, I have the honour to request that the attached document be circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Pedro Comissario AFONSO
Ambassador Extraordinary
and Plenipotentiary
Permanent Representative
to the United Nations

Annex

Final document from the meeting between the President of the Republic of Mozambique and the President of the Resistência Nacional Moçambicana

3 September 1993

The President of the Republic, Joaquim Alberto Chissano, and the President of the Resistência Nacional Moçambicana (RENAMO), Afonso Macacho Marceta Dhlakama, meeting in Maputo from 23 August to 3 September 1993, analysed the difficulties related to the questions of territorial administration, the police and the media that have been faced during the process of implementing the General Peace Agreement.

Considering the desire of the parties to respect in full the General Peace Agreement signed in Rome on 4 October 1992 and to achieve a genuine peace in the country based on democracy and national reconciliation;

Considering the need to guarantee a single administration for the country;

Recognizing that the zones under RENAMO administration have specific features;

Recognizing the need to create temporary mechanisms that guarantee the reintegration of the zones under RENAMO administration into the state administration;

Following a lengthy exchange of views on the above-mentioned questions, it was possible to reach the following consensus:

I. TERRITORIAL ADMINISTRATION

With the aim of guaranteeing that the process of reintegrating the zones under RENAMO control into the state administration takes place in a smooth and efficient way and in accordance with the provisions of the General Peace Agreement on the issue;

Considering the need to guarantee observance of the principle of non-discrimination and impartiality in the treatment of all questions to do with the reintegration of these zones;

They decided:

1. The Government shall create the post of adviser to the Governor in the staffing structure of the provincial state apparatus, with the function of advising the Governor on all the questions directly or indirectly to do with the reintegration of the zones under RENAMO control, including socio-economic questions.

2. The Government shall appoint three people in each province, to be nominated by RENAMO, to the advisers' posts.

3. Whenever there is a legal basis the advisers may be dismissed by the Government, in agreement with RENAMO.

The Government will grant dismissal whenever this is requested by RENAMO. In either case RENAMO may nominate other people to replace the dismissed advisers in the terms of No. 2 of this document.

4. The Governor will indicate the director or directors with whom the advisers should work on a case-by-case basis, in the light of the needs or tasks.

5. The provincial directors must give the advisers all the collaboration required for the correct discharge of their duties.

6. Whenever they consider it appropriate, the advisers may propose initiatives and measures or submit opinions to the consideration of the Provincial Governor.

7. All decisions related to the zones under RENAMO control shall be taken with the prior opinion of the adviser, which must be given within the time-limit indicated by the Governor or within a reasonable period of time depending on the circumstances.

8. Decisions on matters related to the zones under RENAMO control that fall within the sphere of authority of the Central Government must be taken with the prior opinion of the Governor's adviser.

9. The advisers are not members of the Government. They are civil servants of the state apparatus who have the specific task defined above.

10. Situations arising in the exercise of the advisory function that are not resolved with the Provincial Governor or with the Central Government will be communicated to the National Administration Commission for consideration and decision.

11. When all the advisers to the Provincial Governors are in place, the Government shall appoint people nominated by RENAMO from among the residents of the zones under its control to fill the state apparatus staff posts in these zones.

ADVISERS' RIGHTS AND FUNCTIONING

12. The advisers shall enjoy the following rights:

- The salary and benefits corresponding to letter E1 of the wage scale in force in the state apparatus;
- Transport during the exercise of their functions;
- Provision of a house to be rented.

13. The Government shall guarantee that the advisers have the necessary working conditions for the satisfactory discharge of their duties.

II. POLICE

1. The parties agreed to request the United Nations to send a police contingent to monitor all police activity in the country, namely the Police of the Republic of Mozambique and others, to monitor respect for citizens' rights and freedoms and to provide technical support to the National Police Affairs Commission (COMPOL).

2. This contingent will also have the mission of verifying that the operations of private protection and security companies respect the General Peace Agreement.

3. The Government undertakes to present a list of all war material possessed by the police and its location in the country, specifying all the data required for controlling the force.

4. The Government undertakes to request support from the international community for the following ends:

(a) The reorganization, training or retraining of the Rapid Intervention Police;

(b) The training and equipping of the Rapid Intervention Police with appropriate weaponry and equipment;

(c) Clarification of the vocation and aims of the Rapid Intervention Police.

5. The provisions set out in point 4 (a), (b) and (c) of this document shall obey internationally acceptable standards.

(Signed) JOAQUIM ALBERTO CHISSANO
President of the Republic
of Mozambique

(Signed) AFONSO MACACHO MARCETA DHLAKAMA
President of RENAMO

Maputo, 3 September 1993
(Unofficial translation)